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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Edward Shanbrom

Serial No: 09/315,688

Filed: May 20, 1999

For: METHOD FOR QUANTIFYING  
ANTIOXIDANT LEVELS IN FOOD AND  
MEDICAL SPECIMENS

Art Unit: 1753

Examiner: Olsc, Kaj K.

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**PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) FOR  
REVIVAL OF AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED  
APPLICATION AND CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop DAC  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), Applicants respectfully petition for revival of the above-identified patent application which became unintentionally abandoned on April 20, 2004. The present application became abandoned as a result of insufficient funds in a deposit account. Enclosed herewith is a copy of the Issue Fee Transmittal, authorizing the Commissioner to charge the issue fee and the publication fee to Deposit Account 50-2899.

In accordance with 37 C.R.F. § 1.17(m), please charge the fee of \$665 for this petition to Deposit Account No. 50-2899, referencing docket number 16016.900600.

Applicant became aware that the application had become abandoned on or about July 23, 2004 upon seeing the Notice of Dismissed Petition dated July 13, 2004. The entire delay from the due date for the required response until the filing of this petition has been unintentional.

It is believed that no extension of time is required. However, should an extension of time be necessary to revive the above-identified application or to prevent the above-identified application from becoming abandoned again, please consider this a conditional petition for such

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an extension of time. Please charge any fee for such an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-2899, referencing docket number 16016.900600. A copy of this paper is enclosed.

If it should be determined that for any reason either an insufficient fee or an excessive has been paid, please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment necessary to ensure revival of the above-identified application to Deposit Account No. 50-2899, referencing docket number 16016.900600. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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